

FCC Commissioners  
The Federal Communications Commission RE: Docket 04-435  
445 12th Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Dear FCC Commissioners ,

I am writing to voice my concerns about the FCC's proposal to relax the restrictions on the use of cell phones on airplanes in flight.

As a 28 year career airline employee I feel that allowing cell phone useage on board flights creates an unnecessary annoyance to those on board subjected to listening to others' calls. Air travel is stressful enough without adding another component. Its not exactly like you can vacate the premises. Enough, already!

In addition, there is no hard evidence that cell phone use doesn't interfere with navigational instruments. The introduction of cell phone use in the cabin will not only increase tension among passengers, it will compromise flight attendants' ability to maintain order in an emergency. Cell phone use could also enable terrorists to coordinate a plan of action more effectively.

Please leave the current rules in effect.

Sincerely,

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Senator Jon Kyl  
Representative Jim Kolbe